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But Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Saved Her from a Serious Operation.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—"I suffered something dreadful from a displacement and two very bad attacks of inflammation. My doctor said he could do nothing more for me and I would have to go to the hospital for an operation. But Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash have entirely cured me of my troubles and I am now in good health. I am willing you should use my testimonial and hope to benefit other suffering women by so doing."—Mrs. F. PLATT, 9 Woodbine St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Operations upon women in our hospitals are constantly on the increase, but before submitting to an operation for ailments peculiar to their sex every woman owes it to herself to give that famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. If complications exist write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice.

WELLS RIVER

Over 100 attended the Eastern Star meeting held in Masonic hall Monday night. This was the annual meeting and installation of officers. After the work refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed by all.

Miss Ruth Donahue gave a birthday party to her many girl friends at her home Monday afternoon. About 20 were present and everyone enjoyed themselves to the utmost.

The ladies gave a Valentine supper in the church vestry Friday night. Tasty soups were presented to everyone, together with an excellent supper. The proceeds were good and went to the ladies' aid society.

A party of ten enjoyed dinner at Hale's tavern Wednesday night. They came by auto from St. Johnsbury to attend the Eastern Star installation. It is not very often that Landford Hale has the pleasure of entertaining auto parties in February, particularly those on pleasure.

Miss Lucille Morse of New Jersey is spending a few days at the home of her grandfather, David Allison.

Mrs. John Stevens was taken suddenly ill Wednesday evening at the Eastern Star meeting and was compelled to go home. At the present writing she is reported as being some better.

Mrs. R. G. Perry is sick with pneumonia and confined to her bed. Owing to the scarcity of nurses, her daughter, Maida, is caring for her.

Dr. Rickard of St. Johnsbury was in town on Monday evening. He has a bad case of affected adenoids.

Mrs. R. G. Perry entertained Miss Annie Taig of Newbury last Friday.

Isaac Welch began work for John Burton in his market on Monday, taking the place of Elmer Dore, who recently moved to South Ryegate.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hinman of Newport sent last Friday with their mother, Mrs. John Hinman. They left the next day for Florida, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Friends of Dennis Ashley, the Smith & Sons salesman, will be pleased to learn that he has gone to South Carolina, where he will spend several weeks of his vacation.

Private Scott Haselton has been in the hospital at Brest, France, with tonsillitis. He reports that there is a great deal of sickness among the American troops at this port.

Miss Alice Farwell entertained several young ladies at her home in honor of her tenth birthday.

Visitors in Wells River in the last few days are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hinman of Newport, Mrs. Woodbury of Newbury, Henry Goodwin of New York state, Miss Elizabeth Burbeck of Boston, Mrs. Sargent of Boltonville, Miss Annie Tracy of Newbury, Mrs. Miss Hazel of Massachusetts, Miss Ina Buchanan of Barre.

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EAST CORINTH

Miss Alice Rowland, Last of Family of 15 Children, Died at 90 Years.

Miss Alice Rowland, known to all as "Aunt Alice," passed away at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning, Feb. 11, at the home of her nephew, E. S. Rowland, with whom she had lived since the death of her brother, Daniel. The last of a family of 15 children, she had passed nearly all of her 90 years in this town, being born Dec. 1, 1828. A busy woman always and loved by many and respected by all, she will not soon be forgotten. The funeral was held Thursday at 1:30 and was private.

The Jackman shop is shutting down this week for a while.

Miss Harriet F. James is visiting at Herbert Thompson's.

Lee Prescott is reported sick with influenza.

An eight-pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Darling Feb. 10.

George Dill spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. E. D. Dill.

Grace Thompson is back at her post in the store.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Craig of Bradford were week-end visitors at W. H. Thompson's.

Remember there is plenty of sewing at the Red Cross rooms Tuesdays.

When coffee disagrees try **INSTANT POSTUM** a few days. You'll probably continue using POSTUM

RANDOLPH

Mrs. Sarah Sharpe, who fell about the first of December and has since then been confined to her chair for the most part of the time, is now able to walk with crutches, and her nurse, Mrs. Martha Williams, left there on Thursday. Mrs. Williams went to Bethel to assist in the care of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waldo, who are both ill.

The ladies of the W. R. C. celebrated Lincoln's birthday on Wednesday night by a very pleasant social at the hall. In this organization a point of celebrating the birthdays of members is observed, and this was made the occasion of giving notice of three ladies' birthdays, who were Mrs. Ethel Seaver, Mrs. Lillian Elliott, and Mrs. Gertrude Spooner. A cake was made and decorated by Miss Mabel Guyette, and this was cut by the youngest of the three. The color bearer entered with the flags, followed by the president, Mrs. Clara Ketchum, and the chairman of the birthday committee, Mrs. Lewis Williams, bearing the cake, while the president brought the gifts to the three ladies. There was also a program of music and reading, and a general social time, which was greatly enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Henry Lawson of Montpelier has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Greene for several days.

Miss Mildred Spooner, a student nurse at the Boston hospital in Montpelier, came on Thursday for a short stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Spooner. Mr. and Mrs. Carmi White have sold their farm in the northern part of the state and arrived here on Thursday for a few days' stay at the hotel, before locating in any place.

William Ladue was the guest of Mrs. B. E. Nickerson on Thursday, returning to Bradstreet that night.

Mrs. F. W. Curtis were in St. Albans Monday to attend the funeral of their uncle, Lucius Curtis, whose death occurred the previous Friday, the result of a shock.

Dr. J. P. Gifford was summoned to Washington, D. C., last Thursday to attend Langdon, the 14-year-old son of Arthur Burt, who had been ill for two weeks.

Henry Larose, who has been employed by W. B. Colt in Brookfield, is moving to the lower tenement in the G. S. Adams house on Main street.

Mrs. Alice Rumlil is taking a two weeks' vacation from the Bell Brothers' store and is passing the time with her sisters in Brookfield and Barre.

James E. Welch of Groton has entered the employ of J. W. Oney, blacksmith.

C. H. Morse is attending the New England convention of implement manufacturers at Boston this week. A. G. Osgood, who has just returned from a business trip to Pittsburg and Washington, is also in attendance.

Letters have been received from Capt. and Mrs. P. S. Sweet, announcing their safe arrival after a pleasant journey, in San Francisco. They passed five days with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Oney in Chicago, and another five days with friends in San Francisco. They sailed on the transport Thomas, Feb. 5, and will stop four days in Honolulu and will make other stops on their journey.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Lamson returned Wednesday morning from a week passed in New York City, where they visited the annual auto show.

CABOT

The lower Cabot school will give an entertainment at lower Cabot school, on Thursday evening, Feb. 20, at 8 o'clock. Admission, 15c; parents and ladies bringing boxes admitted free. Refreshments will be served at 10c each. Everybody cordially invited.

A. V. Nelson hurt one arm quite badly last week by tipping over a load of logs, cracking the bone above the elbow.

A joint installation of the officers for 1919 of Green Mountain lodge, No. 68, F. and A. M., and of the Green Mountain chapter, No. 35, O. E. S., was held at Masonic hall on the evening of Jan. 28. Mrs. Carrie Smith rendered a solo, there were readings by Miss Barber, and at the close an oyster supper was served. Past Master H. D. McCrillis of Marshfield installed the F. and A. M. whose officers are as follows: W. M., H. H. Carpenter; S. W., F. E. Brown; J. W., R. M. Hoyt; treasurer, George Gould; secretary, E. D. Waldo; S. D., H. E. Walbridge; J. D., R. C. Farrington; S. S., C. W. Houghton; J. S., G. C. McCrillis; chaplain, H. H. Walker; marshal, H. D. McCrillis; Tyler, K. P. Freeman; finance committee, M. L. Chester, E. C. Gould, F. M. Marsh; grievance committee, E. P. Paquin, G. B. Currier, E. J. Bore, Officers of O. E. S.: W. M., Mrs. Maudie Bolton; W. P., B. G. Rogers; A. M., Mrs. Linnie Walbridge; secretary, Mrs. Mary Rogers; treasurer, Mrs. Fanny Waldo; conductress, Mrs. Adella Swedfeger; assistant conductress, Mrs. Jennie Rogers; chaplain, Mrs. Sally Lyford; marshal, Mrs. May Burbanck; pianist, Karl Rogers; Adah, Mrs. Annie McAllister; Beth, Mrs. Kate Gould; Esther, Mrs. Carrie Smith; Martha, Mrs. Jessie Drew; Electa, Mrs. Genevieve McCrillis; warden, Mrs. Emory Putnam; sentinel, Will Adams; relief committee, Sallie Lyford, Clara Shortt, Ella Dane, E. D. Waldo; finance committee, Bertha Marsh, Myrtle Ford, Karl Rogers; social committee, Fred Marsh, Jennie Rogers, Millicent, McIntyre, Retiring Matron, Mrs. Charles Dana of Woodbury installed the O. E. S.

Mark Glidden has returned from "over there," and is in a hospital in Boston.

Feb. 26 the Woman's club will meet with Mrs. Ida Barr.

David Urie of Craftsbury was a guest at the home of Margaret Cunningham Sunday.

Mrs. K. P. Freeman has been ill the past week with influenza.

Bertell Emery has been discharged and returned home.

Last Monday afternoon the ladies' club met with Mrs. Kate Gould and held a Valentine social, 35 being present. The decorations consisted of hearts and cups, contexts were held and a fishpond with other amusements, made the occasion enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served of heart-shaped cakes, cocoa and whipped cream. Progressive tables were tastefully decorated.

Mrs. Mary Goss of Montpelier, senior vice-president of W. R. C. department of Vermont, was entertained at Mrs. W. D. Barr's last week.

Feb. 22 the W. R. C. and G. A. R. will observe Washington's birthday at society hall. A dinner will be served at a reasonable price. In the afternoon there will be an entertainment, to which everybody is cordially invited.

Oliver McCosco of West Danville was a guest at W. D. Barr's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Butterfield and Ralph Mayo went to North Montpelier the first of the week.

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Ray Dow was home over Sunday from his work at St. Johnsbury.

Mr. Cassidy of Enosburg Falls visited his daughter, Mrs. Earl Rogers, over Sunday.

HAD NERVOUS INDIGESTION

This Springfield Woman Found Speedy Relief When She Used the Tonic Treatment.

There are more ways than one of wasting food. Sufferers from stomach trouble, such as dyspepsia and nervous indigestion, are food wasters as much as the housewife who throws away half-consumed portions of food. When the food is taken into the stomach and ferments, causing acute distress, that food is worse than wasted and it were better for the comfort of the victim if it hadn't been eaten.

The blood must be healthy if the processes of digestion are to take place naturally. Good blood carries the nourishment from the food to all parts of the body, building up nerve and muscle. If the blood is thin and weak the nerves are starved and revolt. When the nerves of the stomach rebel the digestive processes are upset, gas forms, sleeplessness and weakness are almost a direct consequence and severe headaches occur frequently.

The value of building up the blood in cases of nervous indigestion is illustrated in the case of Mrs. S. Lewis, of 160 College street, Springfield, Mass. She says:

"I had nervous indigestion for about four years. I first noticed that I was losing flesh and felt miserable much of the time. I had severe nervous spells. I suffered from pain after eating, especially in my left side. I saw Dr. Williams' Pink Pills recommended in the papers and gave them a trial. I noticed improvement while I was taking the first box and took four boxes altogether. I can truthfully say that the pills have certainly helped my stomach and that I feel better than I have in a long time and shall use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills whenever I need a tonic."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are an ideal tonic for nervous people because they are non-alcoholic and nervous patients should avoid alcoholic stimulants. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a blood-builder and nerve tonic. The rich, red blood that they make not only carries color to the cheeks and lips and gives vigor to the muscles, but it revitalizes the exhausted nerves and quiets the pains of neuralgia and sciatica. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain no opiates nor harmful drugs; they restore health and strength but do not give temporary stimulation.

Two useful books, "Diseases of the Nervous System" and "What to Eat and How to Eat" will be sent free by Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Your own druggist send Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or you can order them direct by mail, postpaid, at 50c per box, six boxes for \$2.50.—Adv.

BETHEL

A measuring party under the auspices of Home Relief lodge was held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. Howard Myatt, noble grand of the lodge. A unique musical program was carried out, many interesting games were enjoyed and dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. F. B. Southworth entertained the Methodist ladies' aid society at dinner Wednesday noon. After dinner the members remained for sewing and business.

Commissioner of Agriculture E. S. Brigham and one of his assistants will address the dairy farmers of this and adjoining towns at a meeting at the Bascom theatre March 3 at 8 p. m. under the auspices of Rising Star grange.

The Norwich university musical club gave a very good concert at the town hall last evening under the auspices of the Woman's club. The men, 27 in number, were as follows: Director, Asst. Prof. W. T. MacCreedie, and the following musicians, C. E. Hinman, leader, and H. P. Wingate, manager of the glee club, H. D. Martin, leader, and R. P. Lyman, manager of the mandolin club; A. S. Rinker, E. H. Walton, J. T. Bunker, M. W. Barrows, E. J. Beck, F. S. Whitton, L. E. Richardson, L. F. Jackson, N. C. Stienkey, C. W. Clifford, R. S. Johnson, G. B. Sayer, H. E. Shattuck, J. J. Carmody, C. L. Vitty, T. M. White (reader), Alan N. Buck, F. W. Oppenheim, M. S. Vincent, C. H. Day, G. E. Lathrop and W. T. Monahan. Max Barrows of this place sang in the quartet. C. W. Clifford is a nephew of C. G. Clifford.

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GRANITEVILLE

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WASHINGTON

Lester D. Tillotson, who is in the Mary Fletcher hospital for treatment, is said to be making satisfactory progress.

F. L. Huntington has started up the novelty works again and is now working on a carload of pool heads.

Anyone who desires to assist in the making of 30 pinafors for little ones may have the opportunity by calling on Mrs. Chamberlin, Red Cross work.

T. R. Tillotson had the serious misfortune Wednesday afternoon to be thrown off a load of wood, striking on the ice and breaking his right arm about two inches from the wrist. Dr. Avery was called and reduced the fracture, leaving him as comfortable as could be expected.

There will be no preaching service in the Universalist church on Sunday.

WATTSFIELD

Beatrice Macia of Montpelier, has enrolled as a junior high school pupil. Her people are employed by Mr. Stapleton.

Mrs. Julia Bettis has purchased the Fred Eaton place in the village and expects to take possession about the first of the month.

The Athletic association of the junior high school will present "Pa's New Housekeeper" on Friday evening, followed by a dance and promenade.

Marguerite Colbrook is ill with the croup.

NEW YORK MUSIC TEACHER

Says "Vinol Cures Chronic Coughs."

New York City, 121 Nicholas Avenue.—"I teach piano and singing and when suffering from chronic coughs, colds and bronchitis, I use Vinol as I find it cures when other remedies fail."—Henry Albers.

The reason Vinol is so successful in such conditions, is because it is a constitutional remedy containing beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptonates and glycerophosphates. It strengthens and revitalizes the entire system and assists nature to expel the disease.

We know of many such cases. Red Cross Pharmacy, and druggists everywhere.

P. S.—If you have skin trouble try Saxon Salve. Money back if it fails.—Adv.

MORETOWN

Methodist Episcopal church, Sunday, Feb. 16.—Morning worship at 10:30. Sunday school at 11:45. Evening service at 7:30, with stereoscopic lecture, entitled, "Korea." Everyone cordially invited to attend these services.

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W. R. Page, Berlin, Vt., came to the Goldline man at Cummings & Lewis' Drug Store, Saturday night, and said: "That's the greatest medicine I ever got hold of. I had sour stomach and heartburn so bad that I had to take soda nearly all the time. I had to be careful how I used tobacco or it would come back onto me. I suffered terribly with it and doctored a lot, but didn't get any relief. I decided to try Goldline, and that helped me. I haven't had a spell with heartburn since. I am working hard, but my work doesn't tire me like it did."

"When I saw how much better I felt, I got Mrs. Page to try Goldline, and it helped her just as it had me. I came down to-night to get another bottle for her. I don't think I need any more myself, but am glad to get it for her, for it certainly is a great medicine, and I hope you will publish this, so people at Barre will know about Goldline."

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SOUTH RYEGATE

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDowell of New York City came Thursday for a visit to Mrs. James Beaton. Both are recuperating from an attack of influenza.

Mrs. F. J. Tewksbury has been in Bradford this week, assisting in the home of Mrs. B. H. Hooker, who has been quite ill.

Mrs. Gordon Smith and baby have sufficiently recovered to go to her father's home, Hilbert Samuelson, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

The third entertainment of the course comes Tuesday evening, Feb. 18, at the Presbyterian church, and not Saturday, as was first announced. It consists of a varied program by the Venetian musicians and something good is expected.

Rev. Dr. D. D. Paterson of Newburyport, Mass., accompanied by another speaker, is to hold a meeting in the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening, Feb. 19, in the interests of the new era movement, and everybody is invited to attend.

Three new cases of influenza have been reported this week—Ted Samuelson, Wallace Terry and Mrs. Leslie Hall.

Mrs. Samuel Mills was called to Brookfield Wednesday by the death of her brother, Bert Perham.

The influenza situation is improving and the schools were opened Monday this week, after three weeks' closing.

Mrs. L. E. Brock is at William Parquharson's this week, caring for Mrs. Parquharson and her mother, Mrs. Hooker, both of whom are improving.

Robert Gibson, who has been at an aviation field in Texas for some months, has been released and has gone to Pittsburg to enter a theological seminary and resume his work of preparation for the ministry.

Miss Eva Nelson, who has served as Red Cross nurse in France for nearly a year, has returned to this country and is at a debarcation hospital in Virginia.

SERBIANS SECURING NEW HOLD ON LIFE

Large Peasant Population Has Succeeded in Getting Things Straightened Out in Surprising Manner.

Nish, Serbia, Feb. 13 (Correspondence of the Associated Press).—Three months of unremitting industry, unhampered by Bulgarian and Austrian depredations or interference, have enabled the Serbian people to secure a new hold on life. With the country entirely free of invaders, the large peasant population has succeeded in setting things in order in surprising fashion, and conditions should be almost normal.

Large quantities of wheat and other staples, which the shrewd Serbian farmers hid from the enemy, have reappeared. At the moment the pressing needs seem to be clothing, shoes, fuel and agricultural implements.

Apparently there is plenty of money in the country, some of it having come from Austrian and German soldiers, who, it may be said to their credit, paid for most of the articles they took from the Serbians during their occupation. However, the Bulgarians, who requisitioned almost everything they required from the already straitened population, often paid nothing for what they took. In the cities most of the stores have no stocks because they sold almost everything to the Austrians and Germans.

Fortunately the harvest last fall was exceptionally good and there probably will be nothing approaching starvation among the poor this winter. The enemy troops carried off almost every article of value they could lay hands on, but they did not have time, owing to the suddenness of their retreat, to take with them more than 25 per cent of the available grain supply. Meat is abundant though high in price. Before the war it sold for six cents a pound, now it sells for 56 cents. Large numbers of sheep raised in the mountains furnish not only a valuable meat supply but an abundance of wool with the only clothing they have had in four years.

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